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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

ANSON HIAPO BERMUDEZ,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 05-50198

D.C. No. CR-04-00052-GLT

MEMORANDUM\*

Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Central District of California  
Gary L. Taylor, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted September 11, 2006\*\*

Before: PREGERSON, T.G. NELSON, and GRABER, Circuit Judges.

Anson Hiapo Bermudez appeals from the district court's judgment denying his motion to suppress, resulting in a guilty-plea conviction and sentence for counterfeiting in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 474(a).

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\*\* This panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

Pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), counsel for Bermudez has filed a brief stating that he finds no grounds for relief, along with a motion to withdraw as counsel of record. No pro se supplemental brief or answering brief has been filed.

Our examination of the brief and our independent review of the record pursuant to *Penon v. Ohio*, 488 U.S. 75, 82-83 (1988), disclose no grounds for relief on direct appeal. Accordingly, we affirm the district court's judgment.

Counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and the district court's judgment is **AFFIRMED**.